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FOR:	INTEGRATED COBALT SILICIDE PROCESS FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES	)		

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
The Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2003, please amend  
the application as follows: